

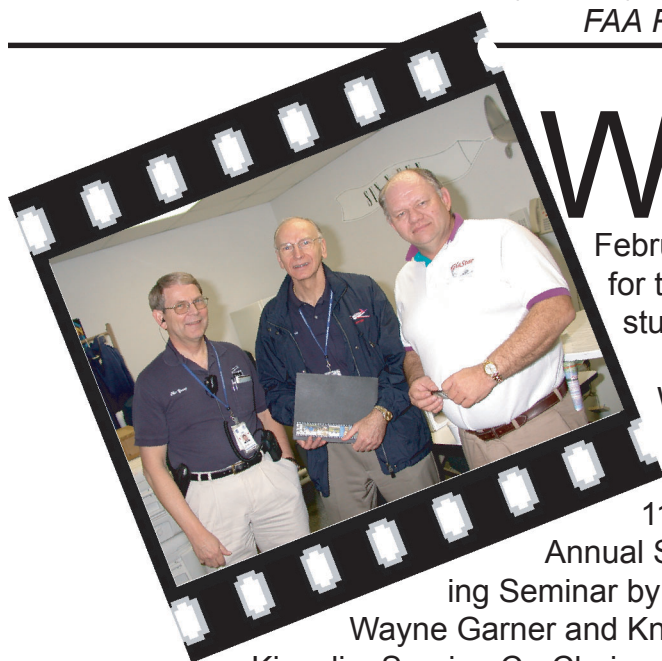


FAA Production Studio News

February 2003

Studio News Update

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What a busy month February is for the studio.

We held the 11th

Annual Soaring Seminar by

Wayne Garner and Knut Kjenslie, Soaring Co-Chairmen,

with over 100 in attendance for this great program.

Guest presenters for the seminar included Bert Compton, "Aero Tow Emergencies and Standard Signals"; Tom Knauff, "Emergencies! The Unexpected" and "Plan of Action." Our "Hat's Off" to Wayne and Knut for another fine presentation.

On February 8th the Annual Seaplane Seminar hosted by Jon Brown of Jack Brown's Seaplane Base did not disappoint. Presenters included Mike Volk, Seaplane Pilot's Association with his program "Flying America's Waterways"; J.J. Frey with "Float Flying in North America"; Kirk Spangler and Margaret Jackson, "Cross Country

Flying"; and Louis Molina, "A Safe Preflight of a Lake Amphibian."

Again, just another group of great presenters and a job well done on the Seaplane program.

(Photo Left: Obie Young, Studio Director; Jim Loomis, Chairman, Florida Aviation Safety Foundation; Ed Kronholm, President Distributive Learning Networks.)

We were pleased to have a special guest at this program. Mr. Ed Kronholm, President, Distributive Learning Networks, joined us for his first visit to the studio.

Mr. Kronholm addressed the group and expressed... "On behalf of the Government Education and Training Network (GETN) consortium of military and federal satellite networks, Distributive Learning Networks, Inc., provides



satellite programming content support services. Acting with the FAA Aviation Safety Center Production Studio team in Lakeland, FL, we are pleased to be able to offer a range of aviation safety programs to military and federal aviators across a series of networks that includes the potential of over 1,000 viewing sites in all 50 US States and Puerto Rico. In the past year, these important programs have become increasingly popular among Military Safety Aviation officials and provide a good review of procedures and potential operating problems for all military and federal aircraft operators."

Many thanks to Ed for visiting with us at the studio and we certainly look forward to our future mutual relationship.

FAA Production Studio Lapel Pins and License Plates



FAA Production Studio Lapel Pins and Licence Plates are available for Production Studio Crew Members.

These beautiful Black, White & Gold Lapel Pins are \$5.00 each and the Black and White License Plates are \$20.00 each.

Please see Cheryl on your next visit to the studio to purchase your pin or license plate.

Congrats Production Crew!

Every year the FAA Awards staff members and special programs with a "Special Recognition" Award. There are approximately 30 categories of entry that take place on a local level, then regional and finally national. A "Tip of the Hat" to the production crew as we have been awarded on the regional level and will now be considered on the national level.

This from Mary Myers.....

It is with GREAT PLEASURE that I announce the REGIONAL selection of Susan Dillon Meadors as the Avionics Field Inspector of the Year, and Obie Young and the FAA Production Crew, for Commitment to Quality Service and Productivity!!!

These selected categories/winners will be forwarded on for national consideration, with the results being announced sometime in March or April.

Please join Bob, Kathy and myself in congratulating Susan, Obie and the Production Crew members with this fantastic accomplishment!!!!!!

A local presentation celebration will be held in the near future. I hope you will all plan to attend.

Sincerely,
Bob Hunt Mary Myers Kathy Mawer
Manager FSSR Chairperson Vice Chairperson

Countdown to Sun 'n Fun!

Sun 'n Fun is coming up fast, April 2-8, 2003! If you haven't made your commitments to work the Production Studio Crew for the event please contact Obie as soon as possible. Please remember that you need to work at the studio prior to the event and attend one of the Volunteer meetings.

For those of you who need camping arrangements please fill out the "Special Needs" form (*printable from page two of the January 2003 Newsletter*) and get it to Obie as soon as possible. All shirt order request must be made no later than March 1, 2003, and sent with your payment (checks made out to FASF) to Cheryl, if you want to get them by Sun 'n Fun. ***Please remember our uniform is our Production Crew Shirt and Kakhi Pants. You must have a Production Crew Shirt and ID to work Sun 'n Fun.***